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Expressing the support of Congress for activities to increase public participation in the decennial census.

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Whereas the decennial census is required by article I, section 2, clause 3 of the Constitution of the United States;

Whereas, in order to achieve a successful decennial census, the joint efforts of Federal, State, and local government, and of other institutions, groups, organizations, and individuals will be needed;

Whereas the Bureau of the Census has implemented a partnership program through which a comprehensive outreach, education, and motivation campaign is being carried out to encourage all segments of the population to participate in the upcoming census; and

Whereas it is fitting and proper that Congress seek to promote the efforts of the Bureau of the Census, and of the other aforementioned institutions, organizations, groups, and individuals to achieve a successful decennial census: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*
 2 *concurring)*, That the Congress—

3 (1) recognizes the importance of achieving a
 4 successful decennial census;

5 (2) encourages State and local governments,
 6 community leaders, and all other parties involved in
 7 this joint undertaking to continue to work to ensure
 8 a successful census;

9 (3) reaffirms the spirit of cooperation that ex-
 10 ists between Congress and the Bureau of the Census
 11 with respect to achieving a successful census; and

1 (4) asserts this public partnership between Con-
2 gress and the Bureau of the Census to promote the
3 decennial census.

Passed the House of Representatives November 2,
1999.

Attest:

Clerk.